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SUBJ: PUERTO RICAN ISSUE IN COMITE OF 24

1. DURING CALL BY PRC PERMREP HUANG HUA AUG 23, AMB SCALI COMMENTED THAT HE HAD BEEN SURPRISED AND "A LITTLE BIT HURT" THAT CHINESE REP IN COMITE 24 HAD VOTED FOR RESOLUTION TO INVITE PUERTO RICAN INDEPENDISTAS TO APPEAR BEFORE COMITE. SCALI SAID HE AWARE CHINESE HAD RELEVANT TRADITIONAL VIEWS BUT HE NONETHELESS FELT HUANG SHOULD KNOW WE REGARDED COMITE 24 ACTION AS UNACCEPTABLE INTERFERENCE IN INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF US AND PR. HE DREW CHINESE ATTENTION TO KEY CONSTITUTIONAL, HISTORICAL AND POLITICAL ASPECTS OF PR'S SITUATION.

2. HUANG LISTENED ATTENTIVELY BUT GAVE NOT AN INCH. HE REPLIED THAT ISSUE IN COMITE 24 WAS COMPLEX ONE WITH HISTORY ANTEDATING PRC PRESENCE IN UN. CHINESE HAD VOTED WITH MAJORITY THAT APPEARED WISH HEAR PUERTO RICANS. WHEN IT SUBSEQUENTLY POINTED OUT THAT CHINA HAD VOTED WITH MINORITY OF ELEVEN OTHERS WANTING TO HEAR PUERTO RICANS RATHER THAN WITH TWELVE OTHERS WHO DID NOT, HUANG OBSERVED THAT NONE HAD VOTED AGAINST HEARING PUERTO RICANS.  
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